

licenses, and regulations on the creation of jobs and income in the tourism industry. The Maryland Tourism Development Board Fund may be used by the Board to plan, advertise, and develop tourism and travel industries in the State.

Fifteen members constitute the Board. Eleven are appointed by the Governor with advice of the Secretary of Business and Economic Development and Senate advice and consent. Two are named by the Senate President and two by the House Speaker (Code 1957, Art. 83A, secs. 4-201 through 4-209).

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON TOURISM

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Created in 1993, the Committee advises the Maryland Tourism Development Board on the tourism industry (Chapter 625, Acts of 1993). The Committee's forty members are appointed by the Governor with advice of the Secretary of Business and Economic Development and the Maryland Tourism Development Board.

DEFUNCT DEPARTMENTAL AGENCIES

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON MANUFACTURING

The Committee ceased to function after the Maryland Advisory Commission on Manufacturing Competitiveness was formed in 1994.

ADVISORY COUNCIL TO THE MOTION PICTURE & TELEVISION DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

Abolished in 1995 (Chapter 120, Acts of 1995).

APPRENTICESHIP & TRAINING

Formerly under the Division of Business Resources, Apprenticeship and Training was transferred to the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation in 1995 (Chapter 120, Acts of 1995).

BUSINESS ASSISTANCE

Formerly under the Division of Business Resources, Business Assistance was renamed the Office of Regional Response in 1995 under the Division of Regional Development.

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT GROUP

In 1994, renamed National Business Development and, in 1995, Office of Business Development.

BUSINESS LOCATION GROUP

In 1995, renamed Business Location Assistance.

BUSINESS RETENTION

Formerly in the Division of Business Resources, Business Retention was disbanded in 1995.

DIVISION OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Renamed Division of Marketing in 1995.

DIVISION OF BUSINESS RESOURCES

Renamed Division of Regional Development in 1995.

DIVISION OF EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING

In 1995, the Division was transferred to the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation (Chapter 120, Acts of 1995).

DIVISION OF TOURISM & PROMOTION

Renamed Division of Tourism, Film, and the Arts in 1996 (Chapter 321, Acts of 1996).

INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE CENTER

Established in 1992 in the Maryland International Division, the Center was disbanded in 1995.

MARYLAND INTERNATIONAL DIVISION

Renamed Office of International Trade in 1995 (Chapter 120, Acts of 1995).

MARYLAND SISTERS PROGRAM

Renamed Sister States Group in 1995.

OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT & RESOURCES

Established by law in 1995 (Chapter 120, Acts of 1995), it was abolished in 1996 (Chapter 321, Acts of 1996).

OFFICE OF DEVELOPING MARKETS

Formerly under the Maryland International Division, the Office was renamed International Trade Development in 1995.

OFFICE OF FOREIGN INVESTMENT

The Office was renamed Office of Inward Investment in 1994.

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Formerly under the Maryland International Division, the Office was reorganized in 1995 as the Foreign Investment Group. Renamed Foreign Investment in 1995, it was placed under the Office of International Trade.

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE

Renamed Office of International Business in 1996 (Chapter 321, Acts of 1996).

OFFICE OF MARKETING & OPERATIONS

Renamed Trade Promotion in 1995.

PRIVATE SECTOR ADVISORY COUNCIL

Abolished in 1995 (Chapter 120, Acts of 1995).

REGIONAL TECHNOLOGY COUNCILS

Formerly under the Office of Federal Response and Technology Commercialization, the Councils no longer receive State funds.

SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER NETWORK

Renamed Small Business Development Centers in 1995.

TECHNOLOGY COMMERCIALIZATION

Formerly under the Division of Business Resources, it was renamed Federal Response and Technology Commercialization under the Division of Regional Development in 1995.